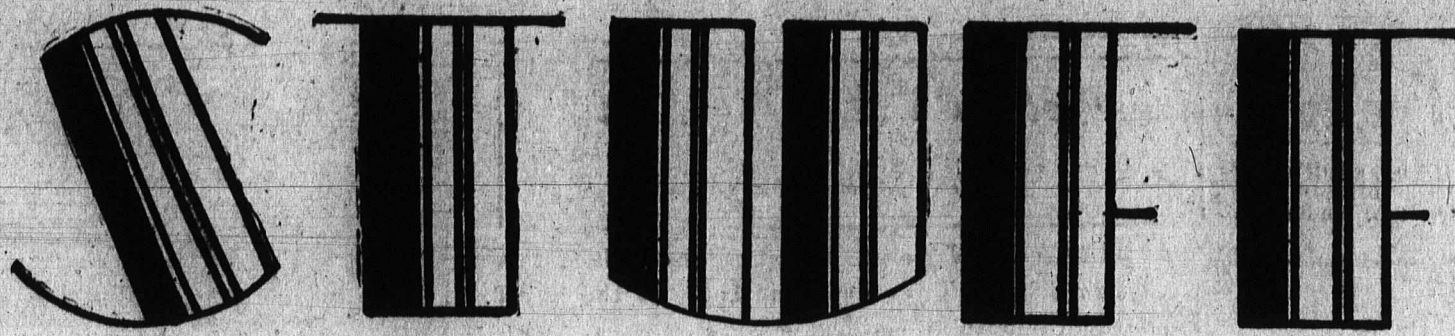


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# HOMECOMING FROLIC THIS WEEKEND

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## Drama Society To Give "Mary Of Scotland"

### Theatrical Season Opens October 18 In College Theatre

A new dramatic season will open in the College Theatre this Sunday afternoon at 2:00, as the Columbian Society and six young ladies from local C. Y. O. units, under the direction of the Rev. Paul Speckbaugh, C.P.P.S., present Maxwell Anderson's great tragedy, "Mary of Scotland."

The play will be presented again on the evening of October 25.

Playing the leading role of Mary Stuart will be Miss Mary Cengel from Whiting, Indiana, whose acting ability has carried her into prominent leads in many Shakespearean and other notable plays.

Making her stage debut at the age of three, Miss Cengel has been a part of the amateur theatrical world ever since. She received fine tutoring in high school and has continued her dramatic interests in C. Y. O. drama work. Last year she held a prominent role in the C. L. S. production, "You Can't Take It With You."

Crafty, young, ambitious Elizabeth Tudor will be portrayed by Miss Ruth Kanne of Rensselaer, Indiana.

John McCabe, sophomore from Harvard, Ill., will carry the difficult male lead, the Earl of Bothwell. Altogether, there will be sixteen male parts.

#### Anderson Has Great Play

In Anderson's "Mary of Scotland," there is every element of tragedy and drama, beginning when Mary Stuart sets foot on her unruly land as queen, and ending when the last ray of hope fades with the sunset she watches from the barred window of her prison room in Carlisle Castle.

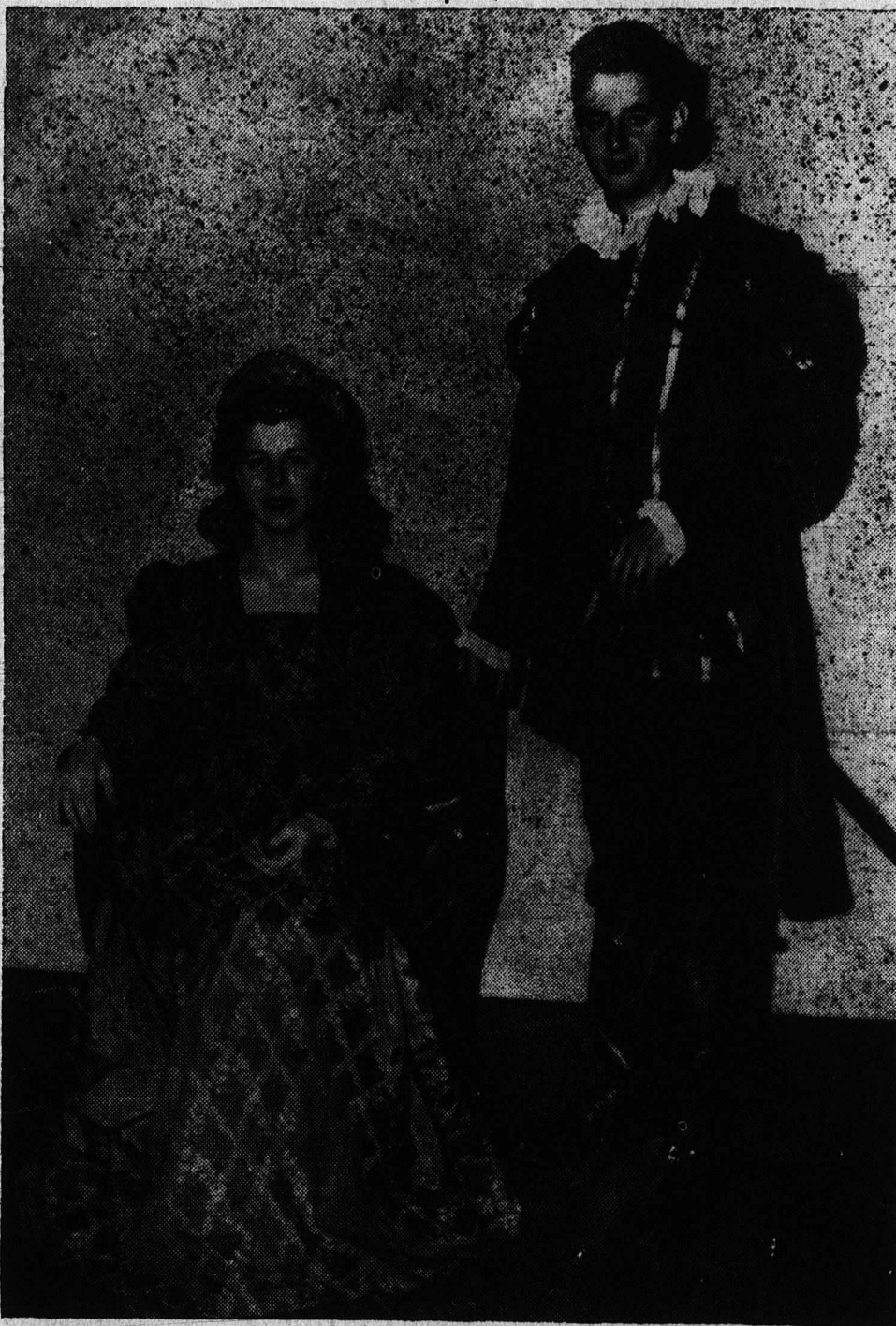
"Mary of Scotland" is a powerful play. Theatre-goers will not easily forget the final scene of the play when the lovely Mary Stuart, doomed to betrayal by her true faith in essential goodness and her too great love, meets face to face, woman to woman, with the jealous Elizabeth, who is seeking to remove from her own path her religious rival.

#### Difficult Technical Production

Technically, one of the outstanding features of the play will be the difficult, novel effects which will be

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### Maxwell Anderson's Play Comes To Life In CLS Production



Miss Mary Cengel, of Whiting, Indiana, and John McCabe, sophomore, will play the leads in "Mary of Scotland" Oct. 18.

### Columbian Literary Society To Observe Fiftieth Anniversary

St. Joseph's Columbian Literary Society will observe its fiftieth anniversary this Sunday with a planned celebration. The society's rendition of Maxwell Anderson's "Mary of Scotland," will open the festivities.

At 5:30 in the evening a Golden Jubilee banquet will be served in the religious student's refectory. Special invitations have been sent to all the charter members, past and present moderators and presidents. Present members of the C. L. S. and their guests are also invited. Non-members may purchase tickets for the banquet from C. L. S. officers.

The Rev. Ildephonse Rapp, C.P.P.S., moderator of the society from 1906 to 1934, will deliver the principal address. Other speakers for the occasion will include the Rev. Aloys Dirksen, C.P.P.S., president of the College, the Rev. Paul Speckbaugh, C.P.P.S., present moderator, Francis Kinney, president of the C. L. S., and also one of the charter members. The Rev. Robert Koch, C.P.P.S., moderator of the C. L. S. from 1937 to 1940, will act as toastmaster.

#### Organized In 1892

In 1892 twelve students, under the direction of the Rev. Benedict Boebner, C.P.P.S., organized the Columbian Literary Society in commemoration of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of America by Columbus.

### Install New Drain

Seifert Hall residents have a trench half way around their building while a new drain is being installed to keep the water from standing in the middle of the street between Seifert and Noll Halls.

The Rev. John Schon, C.P.P.S., expects work on the drain to be completed at an early date if weather remains favorable.

### Scientists Hear Talk By William Browning

William Browning of Evansville, Indiana, spoke to the Albertus Magnus Club last Friday evening on the Inosphere.

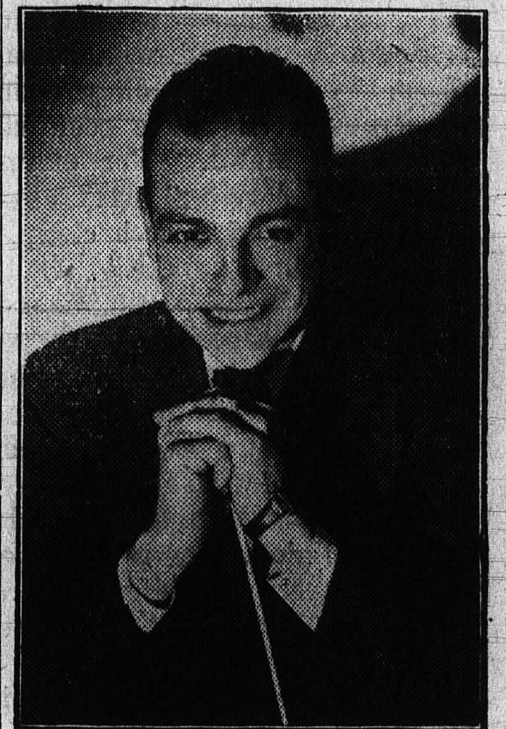
Tom Burger, Allen Burkhard, Bob Stineman, Frank Cleary, John Wetzel, and Tom Wetzel were inducted into the club as new members.

Anyone interesting in joining the club should submit his name to any member of the Science Club.

### Mickey Isley Band To Play Saturday At Local Armory

Usual activities about St. Joseph's campus will give way to the annual, spectacular Homecoming celebration when the lid to the weekend's festivities is blown off with the lighting of the bonfire next Friday night.

However, if the weather intervenes, as was the case last year, and the elements won't permit fire,



MICKEY ISLEY

the traditional pep rally will be held inside. Last year's fire was secretly set off about two weeks after Homecoming.

Saturday will see St. Joe's Pumas do battle with Illinois Wesleyan, the team that came closest to beating the Pumas last year with a 12-12 tie, which fact alone should make the afternoon an exciting and thrilling one.

#### Mickey Isley to Play

With a host of former students and alumni returning for the affair, the evening, too, should prove extremely successful. Mickey Isley's band featuring the vocalizations of Martha Nash, will provide music for dancing in the Rensselaer Armory.

Tickets for the dance if purchased before the dance from a member of the Monogram Club will be \$1.35 per couple; they will cost \$1.50 if bought at the door Saturday night.

## Father Retzek Will Lecture Here On Americans, Immigrants All?

### Dwenger Mission Club Observes Anniversary

Attending the High Mass offered Friday morning by their Moderator, the Reverend Henry Martin, C.P.P.S., the members of the Dwenger Mission Unit celebrated the twentieth anniversary of the Mission Society. The unit, begun at St. Charles Seminary, was transferred to St. Joe.

Among the Charter members of the society are the Revs. Paul Speckbaugh, C.P.P.S., Albert Wuest, C.P.P.S., Clement Falter, C.P.P.S., Thomas Grotenrath, C.P.P.S., and Francis Hehn, C.P.P.S.

The Rev. Henry Retzek, M. A., of West Union, Minnesota, will open St. Joseph's entertainment series Tuesday night, October 20, with an address entitled, "Americans, Immigrants All?"

Father Retzek is a noted authority on Geology, having studied at Chicago University and at Harvard. He often contributes to both popular and scientific magazines.

An ardent exponent of the Catholic Rural Life Program, Father Retzek has lectured many times at regional conferences designed to acquaint the uninitiated with this phase of Catholic Action.

The lecture will be given at the College Theatre.

### Sanguinist Club Starts Canvassing For Members

Presiding at the first meeting this current year of the Sanguinist Club for Catholic Action was Francis Kinney, senior from Ironton, Ohio. The Club is under the direction of the Rev. Thomas Grotenrath, C.P.P.S., moderator.

At the meeting, plans for the coming year were formulated. This year the club will devote itself to a study of the outstanding Papal Encyclicals.

#### Plan Weekly Adoration

Upon the recommendation of Father Grotenrath, it is planned to hold a weekly period of adoration before the Blessed Sacrament. This service will be offered particularly for the St. Joe alumni serving in the armed forces.

It is not necessary to be a member of the club to participate in this service. All students are invited and urged to attend.

Old members are making a canvass of the residence halls for new members. Election of officers will be held after the induction of the new members.

## Raleigh Club Treats Freshies With Paddles, Other Terrors

Some of the suspense in the puzzled but willing minds of approximately a hundred new members of the Raleigh Smoking Club has no doubt been relieved since two days of the initiation are behind them.

Many surprises still await the rookies, however, as two days, tomorrow (Thursday) and Friday, of the initiation still remain; whether or not the severity of the home stretch will equal or surpass that of the first two days remains to be seen.

Rookies have been running the gauntlet, figuratively speaking, in the Fieldhouse this year, whereas in former years the boys were put through their paces in the gym and Turner Hall.

The initiators took their charges into Rensselaer this afternoon where, to the delight and amusement of other students and a group of townspeople, they tried to lower the dignity of the new members and subdue them with antics around the public square.



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## POLICY

- (1) To constantly urge prayer and work in the hope of a lasting, early World Peace.
- (2) To make every effort to keep campus reading and campus speech clean.
- (3) To promote frequent attendance at Mass, the Sacraments, and evening Benediction.

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## DRIFT

(Editorial)

## About STUFF'S Policy

With this edition STUFF reaffirms the policy which has appeared in the masthead just above the editorials for the past five years. While the policy remains essentially the same, words have been changed to show a stronger stand. For example, instead of merely "supporting" every effort to keep campus reading and speech clean, the policy now uses the word "make." STUFF will make every effort to keep campus reading and campus speech clean.

An addition has been made to the policy: To promote frequent attendance at Mass, the Sacraments, and evening Benediction. This is in accord with the best principles of a good, Catholic education. Education without a deep religious element is like a ship without a rudder. Even public school authorities have recognized that fact and are allowing students free time in which to study religious tenets under priestly and ministerial supervision.

## More Home Games?

It seems strange that so many students should leave the campus on weekend trips when the football team makes its home appearance. It seems all the more strange remembering that many of those same students complained of the present season's two-game offering.

Make up this weekend for the poor spirit last Sunday. Weekend trips can be made at any time, but there are only two home games this year.

## Let's Be "Naive"

Last spring, through the editorial column, student promoters were repeatedly urged to buy a corsage of Victory Stamps instead of the regular flowers. The sheer novelty of the idea—aside from the patriotic notion—should have been a sufficient incentive. Still the suggestion was laughed at, or shrugged aside. News releases from colleges and universities all over the nation proved that the idea of a Victory Stamp corsage was neither naive nor "unsophisticated." Some fraternities required a Victory Stamp corsage before they would permit a couple to enter the ballroom.

Again the suggestion is made: Why not give her a Victory Stamp corsage for the Homecoming dance? Show your patriotism, your individualism if you prefer. Remember, while you dance, millions of men and boys in khaki are sighting down a Garand rifle, or thrusting with a bayonet at the enemy. It takes money to buy rifles, bayonets, ammunition, food and clothing for the war. Until your time comes to join the troops over there, do your part here. Give her a Victory Stamp corsage for the Homecoming dance.

## Following the Flickers

With Dick Schreiber

A BRAND NEW serial starts at the Palace this week end. Chapter Twelve of "The Perils of the Royal Mounted" came to a thrilling close last week. "Captain Midnight," born of the same strip as Superman and Flash Gordon, takes over where the red-coats leave off.

Most of the new serials have to do with mild-mannered gentleman who do a Jekyll-Hyde act and stop express trains and machine gun bullets in their spare time. Top-notch serials being produced today are taken directly from newspaper and magazine comic strips—which may or may not be good according to psychological principles.

We've always hoped Hollywood would come up with a set of serials modeled after the Carey Wilson miniatures. Perhaps some day when the movie moguls learn that they can make just as much money from the older age group, we'll see a better class of Friday nighters.

## RITZ: Friday &amp; Saturday

To the top via medicine shows and the WLS barn-dance sounds like something out of Horatio Alger. But it's merely the brief life history of Gene Autry—favorite cowboy star of millions of blood and thunder fans. The late, great Will Rogers started Autry to fame by telling him, "Young feller, you ought to go to the Big City with that gee-tar." And Autry did. Now he comes to the screen in "Home In Wyomin'" with Smiley Burnette and Fay McKenzie, whoever she may be. Legion Rating: A-1.

## RITZ: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

Humphrey Bogart and Mary Astor, with all the other members of the "Maltese Falcon" cast, bring you "Across the Pacific." This is old-fashioned melodrama with a few new twists. You'll probably like Bogart's tough-guy tactics. Story has to do with secret agents and Japs. Legion Rating: A-2.

## PALACE: Sunday, Monday, Tuesday

"Orchestra Wives," has Glenn Miller (and band), Ann Rutherford, Lynn Bari, Carole Landis, Cesar Romero, Mary Beth Hughes and the Nicholas Brothers. It's the story of the girls who are left behind when they marry into the musical fraternity. Good music, bad acting, and a Legion Rating: B. (Which means it's objectionable in part from the moral standpoint.)

## RITZ: Wednesday &amp; Thursday

For as far back as we can remember Jimmy Valentine has been in the consuming public's eye. This time it's "Affairs of Jimmy Valentine," with Dennis O'Keefe and Ruth Terry. Legion Rating Unavailable.

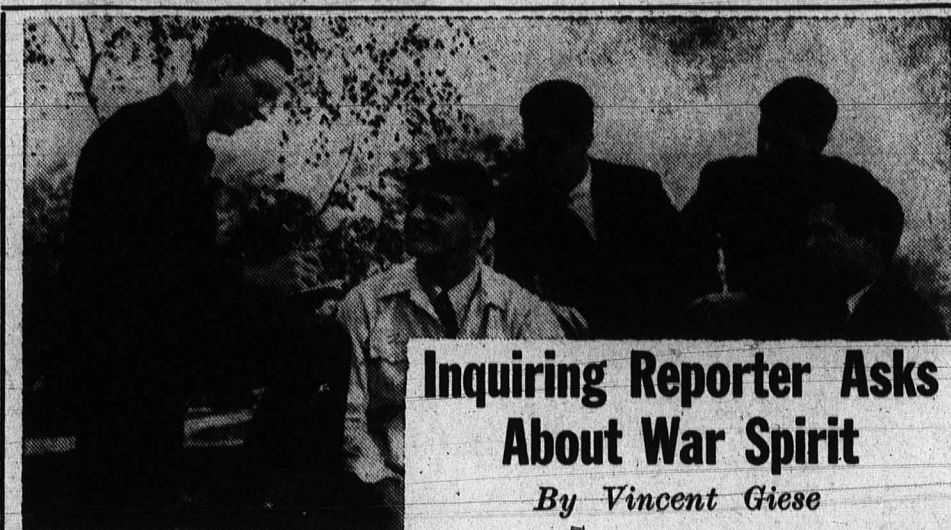
## CAMPUS CAPERS

By Spalding and Piotrowski

Leroy (Blimp) Huenefeld wore rubbers on a nice clear sunny morning. He probably didn't want to take a chance. Yes, he's a Drexelite. On the other hand, he may go barefooted when winter comes. . . . Someone said in Lunghi's after the picture, "Iceland" that Joe (Killer) Mikan looks like John Payne. If anyone sees any resemblance, we don't. We're sure his girl wouldn't even go so far as saying that. . . . Beware of Bud (Phantom) Deitrich. He is a magician. The poor suckers who watched him in front of Lunghi's went back to school mystified. But we know how to execute those tricks, too (me anyway). Remember us Dietrich. We saw the trick book. . . . J. J. Murphy's letter was given to J. M. Murphy by mistake. We wondered why J. M. was beaming with pride that day. Did he feel like a drip when he realized that he didn't know a girl by the name of Mary. . . . If you lads want to hear a jingle, jangle of words recited by a freshman, look up Mr. Shea in Seifert Hall. . . . Mr. Paul Funk, a bon-fire material carrier, didn't want to get his hands dirty carrying wood. Well, after a while of deliberation, he agreed on tying rags on his hands. My, my, what will Jurgens Lotion say to you.

Heard—in the refectory, "Chicken." In the dorm, "who flung that pillow? . . . On the campus, "Were you out the other night when they double checked? . . . In the J, "Who are you taking to the Homecoming dance, and does she have a friend? . . . In the library, just "Shh" . . . In the classroom, "What time is it anyway?"

Heard at the supper table was the following interrogative propounded by Leo Stofko: "I'm a white man Kenney; to what race do you belong?" It was followed by a definite "English."



## Inquiring Reporter Asks About War Spirit

By Vincent Giese

Whether or not America is sufficiently war conscious has been one of the most debated questions of the day.

Radio, journalism, the movie industry, advertising, defense work, and our boys leaving home to enter into the service have all aided greatly in making America war conscious.

Yet we on the home front are still enjoying all of our freedoms; we have not been invaded; our lives and property have not been threatened; in short, we have not been directly affected by the war. So there prevails a tendency to take the war passively.

Will America do as England is said to have done, continue in a passive spirit until bombs are dropped into her midst? Or will she realize that there is no reward in passiveness; or that wars cannot be won without action? These are perturbing questions.

This week STUFF went to the students for their opinions on the question, Is America War Conscious? If not, what can we do to make her thus.

Senior Raymund Galvin, of Lexington, Ky., said, "It seems to me that people near the coast and those living in the larger cities are more war conscious than those people living inland. People inland feel that enemy planes will be spotted before they reach them."

Paul Brunton, sophomore from Decatur, Indiana, had this to say, "I don't actually think that America is war conscious enough. Men are working long hours in defense plants, but seemingly more for pecuniary reasons than for aiding the war effort."

Paul went on to say that "although the government is all out for the war effort, it can do more. I think that government regulation should be more centralized, put more on a business basis. In other words, greater results can be obtained for less cost by eliminating many of the overlapping bureaus which have been set up; by eliminating so much

## Senior Sketches

By Tom Scheiber

William Browning, one of St. Joseph's Evansville, Indiana, representatives was born November 30, 1921. Living in Evansville all his life, Bill attended St. Benedict's elementary and Reitz Memorial High Schools there.

Bill holds membership in the Raleigh Smoking Club and this year was elected treasurer of the campus honorary society, the Albertus Magnus Society.

## Enrolled In Pre-Med.

Enrolled in the pre-med program, he plans to enter the Indiana University medical school after he is graduated from St. Joe at the end of this semester in January.

A 2-A man in the draft till March 15, Bill expects to be in med-school when his deferment expires thus possibly enabling him to stay in school and complete his studies.

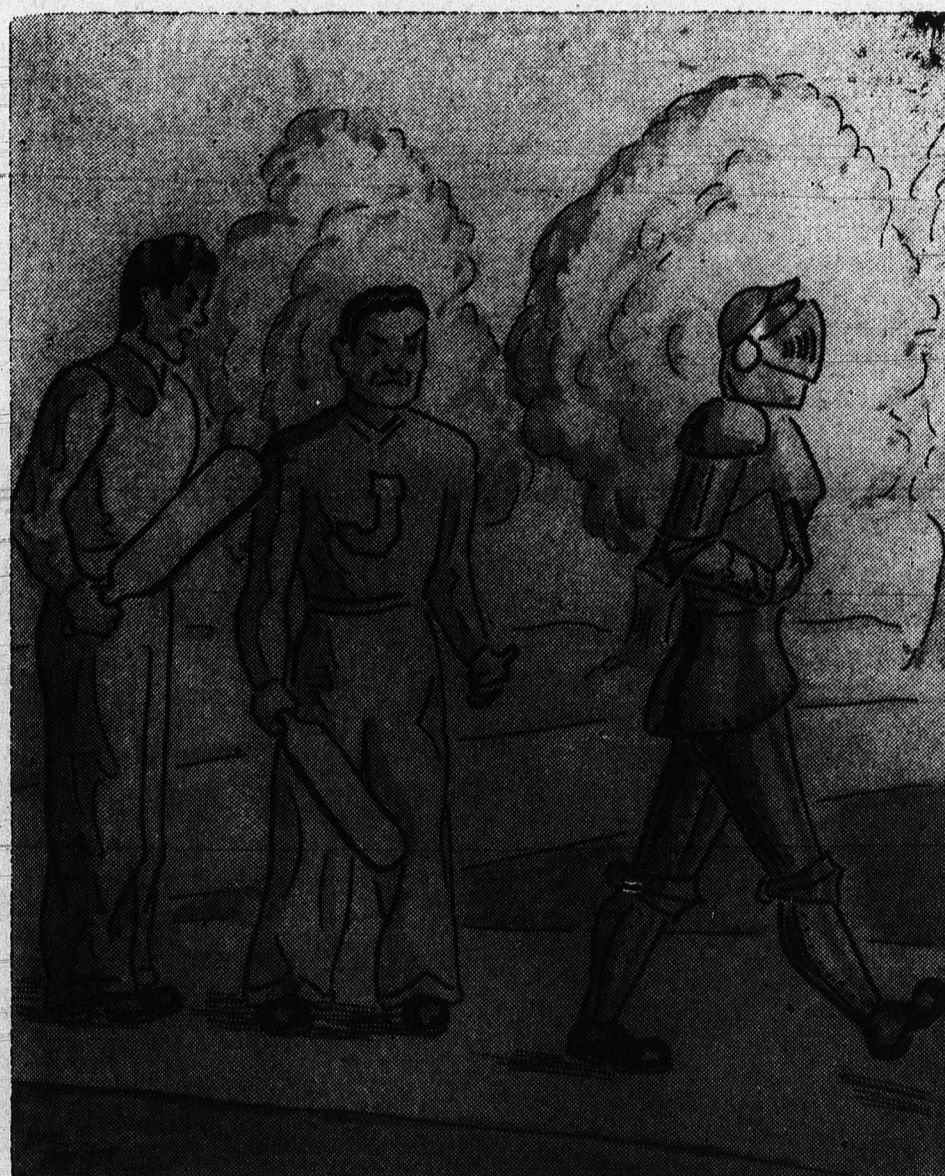
of the red tape and graft caused by 'political maneuvering' of some people."

"Americans are not as war conscious as they really should be," says Ray Hemmert, sophomore from Wapakoneta, Ohio. "The people at home haven't experienced any of the horrors of war; it is only natural that they wouldn't be as war conscious as those countries in actual battle. Only those families who have lost some member of their family in the war really realize the seriousness of the situation. However, morale in America is high; and as long as the people at home do their part, let's pray that they never know the true horrors of war."

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## COLLEGE DAZE

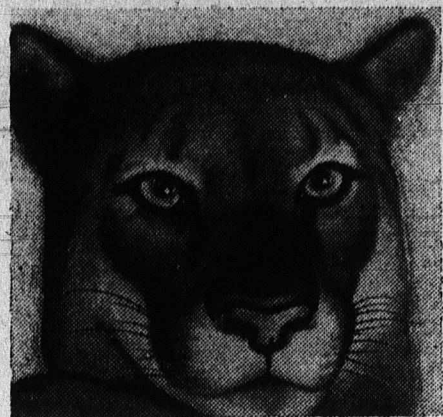
By Leonard Herriges



"Oho . . . a wiseguy freshman!"



# WESLEYAN TITANS HOMECOMING FOE



## Puma Prints

By John Feicht

What's wrong with our line? That seems to be a common question around the Collegeville campus this week.

As yet neither of the St. Joe opponents have scored through the line. The lone touchdown marked up against the Puma gridders was the result of a pass in the opening game. You saw what happened to Loras when they passed . . . six were intercepted.

Back to the line again. The Pumas have scored six touchdowns all by way of running plays. Somebody opened up holes for the ball carriers; it must have been the line. Even if you think Loras was defeated because St. Joe completed some beautiful passes, don't forget that the line had to block in order that the passer could get off the long tosses.

Remember, the Puma line for the most part is inexperienced. Frequent substituting in order that more men might gain experience has been the policy of the St. Joe coaching staff thus far.

### FOOTBALL HIGHLIGHTS . . .

With Captain Pete Varini scoring two touchdowns in Sunday's encounter, the plunging Puma full-back ran his total to 30 points scored in two games. If Pete keeps going at this terrific pace, there is a chance that he might win the state scoring championship this year . . . St. Joe's running attack netted a total of only 93 yards gained against the Loras line. Loras, in return, gained 160 yards through the Puma forward . . . Loras was not penalized throughout the entire game, whereas St. Joe yielded 58.5 yards via the rule infraction method . . . The Puma backfielders handled the ball faultlessly during the contest. Loras on the other hand fumbled three times with St. Joe gridders twice recovering.

**AT THE GAME . . .** Pvt. Charley Sudrovec watched Sunday's game. He is on furlough from Camp Breckenridge, Ky. Charley was a substitute back on last year's undefeated team. . . . Don (Potsy) Clark of Kankakee, Ill., also returned to Collegeville for the St. Joe-Loras game. Potsy is to leave for the army shortly. During his days at St. Joe, he collected a total of eleven varsity letters . . . Ralph Parker also returned to the campus for the game. He was the captain of the Puma tennis team last year.

**TOUGH LUCK . . .** The Loras Duhawks had to play without the services of their co-captain and star halfback, Paul (Pepper) Goodwin. Paul was injured in the Loras-St. Ambrose fracas. The other Loras co-captain, Herm Swerinsky, giant tackle, was unable to play the entire game because of injuries he received the previous week. . . . Mike Elliot, Duhawk left halfback, played brilliantly for the losing Dowdmen.

**CONGRATULATIONS . . .** Father Kern for a swell job over the P. A. system . . . Frank Murray for his exhibition of baton twirling between halves of the game . . . Also to the entire band for their showing . . . Last but not least, to the three cheerleaders—Art Hootor, Jim Murray, and Bill Zink. Maybe next Saturday some of the students will be here to do some real yelling.

## Loras Humbled By Pumas; Passes Are Decisive Factor

In winning their second game of the season Sunday afternoon, the St. Joseph's Pumas humbled a highly rated Loras team 19 to 0.

The Loras Duhawks out-gained the St. Joe eleven but never crossed the Puma 20-yard line. Through the second and fourth quarters, the Duhawks had possession of the ball the majority of the time, but could not capitalize on their opportunities. An alert Puma defense punctured the hopes of the Dowdmen time after time.

George Ellspermann carried the ball across the goal line on the fifth play from scrimmage for the first St. Joe score. Pete Varini scored the second and third touchdowns on plunges through the line from the three and five-yard lines.

After Ted Swierczek returned the opening kickoff to his own 35-yard line, Ellspermann tossed a long pass to end Bob Luther on the first play. Luther was pulled down from behind on the 19-yard line. Varini tried the Loras line for three plays, and then the speedy Ellspermann scampered into the end zone from the 11-yard line on an end run.

Before many minutes had elapsed, Pete Varini grabbed a Loras pass out of the air on the 40, and lateraled to Swierczek who trekked to the 16-yard marker. Varini and Ellspermann then collaborated to carry the ball to the enemy three, from where Captain Pete plunged over for the score.

### Pumas March Again

After spending the last half of the first quarter and the entire second period protecting their goal line, the Puma machine again began rolling in the third period.

Shortly after the kickoff Ellspermann intercepted a pass on the 25 and returned the ball eleven yards. George then went around end for a first down on his own 49. A pass play, in which Ellspermann tossed to Luther, who in return lateraled to Lapsys, netted 25 yards.

The sophomore back then picked up four yards through the line before passing again to Luther for a first down on the 12. After several plays through the line, Varini plunged across from the five. Curley Wisniewski entered the game and converted the extra point by placement.

Loras held a first down advantage of 13 to 6, but most of their gains were between the twenty-yard lines. Six times the Duhawks held the St. Joe twenty. Loras outgained the Pumas 216 yards to 186. Six pass interceptions by the alert St. Joe secondary proved fatal to the charges of coach Vincent Dowd.

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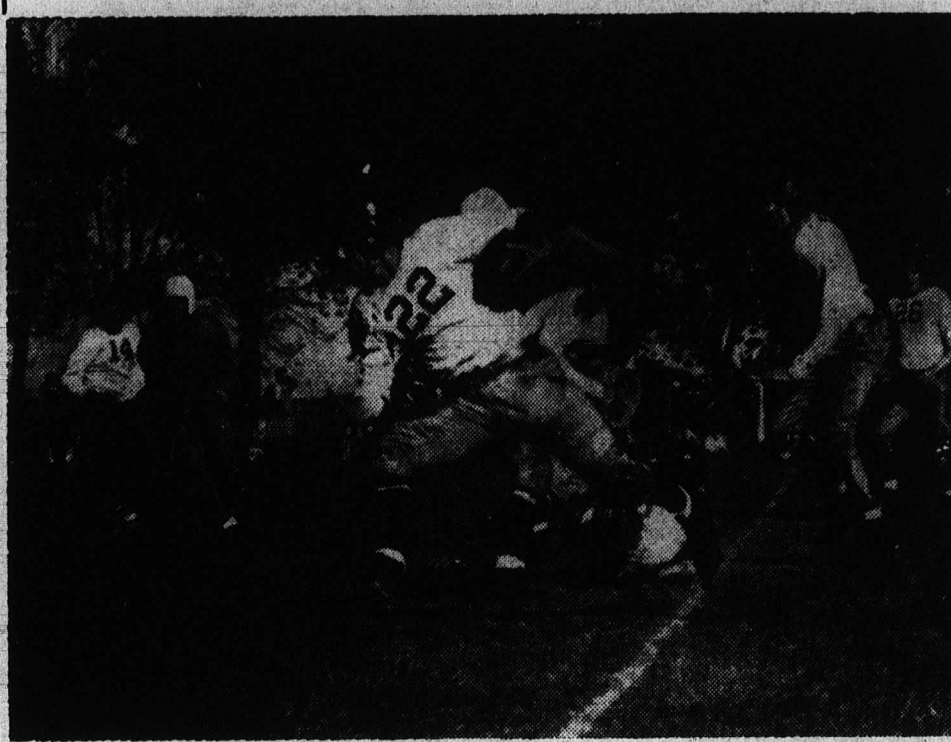


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## Ellspermann Intercepts Pass



George Ellspermann picks up eleven yards after intercepting a Loras pass. Bill Smith Blocks as Ted Swierczek, Vanderkolk and Joseph look on.

## I-M Softball Games To Be Played By Eleven Teams

Intra-mural softball captains have been chosen; the teams have been picked. Play will start as soon as all captains check with their players to see what days they will be able to play.

Games will be scheduled on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays.

Tough football will be started next week. These contests will also be staged on week days. No Sunday ball will be played as in previous years.

## More About Question Box

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Sophomore Ed O'Donnell of Peoria, Ill., said that "for awhile, America really wasn't war conscious. But with the bombing of Pearl Harbor, America awakened to the fact that a war was going on. At present America is war conscious, although it seems that people on the coast are even more so than the people in the mid-western states."

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## Cubs' Six-Man Squad Downed By Kentland

Led by their captain, John Ade, Kentland High triumphed over the Academy Cubs, 41-6, last Wednesday evening. Kentland held the Cubs scoreless during the first half while they piled up 26 points.

The Cubs' score came as a result of a sparkling 65-yard run made by Mike Cody that put the ball on the Kentland 3-yard line. From there Bob Richert plunged over for the Cubs' lone score.

## Build New Press Box

Announcing last Sunday's football game was made much easier by the installation of a new press box in the balcony of the fieldhouse.

A suspended platform, fifteen feet above the balcony floor, and walled on one side by the large windows on the floor of the fieldhouse, furnishes a good view of the gridiron.

Both football and basketball games can be announced from the press box which was erected by the Rev. Edmund J. Guillozet, C.P.P.S., and his assistants.

## C.L.S. Holds Meeting

Golden Jubilee plans were discussed at a meeting Sunday morning in Science Hall of all the members of the Columbian Literary Society. Also at the meeting committee heads and their assistants of the executive board of the C. L. S. were announced.

## Opponents' Scores

St. Ambrose 26; St. Norbert 0.  
Ohio U. 6; Butler 0.  
Valparaiso 14; Indiana State 2.

## St. Joe Ready For Tilt With Eleven From Bloomington

Opponents of the high-flying St. Joseph's Homecoming game Saturday will be the Titans of Illinois Wesleyan. To date their record is one win and a loss.

Coach Joe Dienhart and his entire squad will be out to avenge a 12-12 tie of last season, which put the lone blot on the Pumas' undefeated record. As it looks now the squad will be in perfect physical condition for the encounter.

Both Tom Scollard and Louie Yugovich should be ready to give full-time service in the Saturday game. Scollard is recovering from a knee injury suffered in the Illinois Normal game, while Yugovich is still favoring an ankle injured in pre-season drills.

### Wesleyan Won Opener

Under the leadership of Van F. Horn, who replaced Don Heap who is now in the service, the Wesleyan Titans won their opening game from Eureka 14-0. Toledo University, however, downed Wesleyan 26-0. The Ohio team scored three touchdowns in the final period.

Lack of reserves seems to be the biggest problem facing the new Titan mentor. His first-string tackles, Lyle Lanz and Wayne Hall, are two of the heaviest in the Illinois conference. Their total weight is 484 pounds. Another star lineman on the Illinois squad is Curt Brown, center, regarded as a linebacker deluxe.

The green and white backfield will average 175 pounds. Captain of the squad, Harry Wilk, will lead the team from the quarterback position. The 175-pound leader is considered the most deadly blocker on the team. Half spots will be filled by Bill Aldire, a speed merchant, and Dick Pierce. Bob Scoles, who was slightly injured in the Toledo game, or freshman Bill Finks will do the line plunging.

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## Dr. Frank Speaks

Hammond, (Ind.) Knights of Columbus heard a Columbus-Day speech by Dr. Theodore Bernard Frank, of the department of modern Foreign Languages.

Dr. Frank spoke Monday evening in the Hammond K. of C. auditorium on the subject of "Patriotism." He was accompanied by Hammond by the Rev. Albert Gordon, C.P.P.S., of the Social Science Department.

## Inaugurate Officers For Curtain Club

Inaugural addresses by the new officers constituted the main part of the Curtain Club's meeting last Sunday. Charles Banet, president, spoke on the great influence of Catholic literature. Plans for future productions were also discussed.

A committee was appointed to present several proposals for a club seal at the next meeting.

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## Father Otte Addresses Commerce Club Members

At a recent meeting of the Commerce Club plans were outlined for the coming year. A series of social events is being planned.

An exchange dance with St. Francis College, Joliet, Ill., is one of the feature activities on the Club's schedule for this year. A similar dance was held last year at the Curtis Creek Country Club.

A committee, headed by John Beall, is canvassing all the halls on the campus as part of the membership drive. The club is open to all students majoring in Business Administration, Economics, and Accounting.

A guest speaker will be presented at each meeting of the club. The Rev. Joseph Otte, C.P.P.S., of the Social Science Department, gave a talk on "Accounting in Educational Institutions" at the last meeting.

### More About

## Drama Society

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produced through lighting.

Since the opening of school, the stage technicians—Jack Vilim, Tom Warapius, and Richard Causland—under the direction of Robert Causland, have been working hard on the set.

Five settings were planned, designed, and constructed by the stage crew for the production. The crew has been trying to capture the spirit of the Tudor Age through designings such as Tudor arches and settings. The settings will be modeled in the formalistic manner.

### Correction

A picture on the front page of last week's STUFF, with the outline Steve Theodosios, was incorrect. The picture, used by mistake, was that of Robert Gutting, '36-40. An inaccuracy in the filing system was responsible for the mistake. Apologies to both Mr. Gutting and Mr. Theodosios.

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## Officers From Armed Services In Collegeville

Officers and enlisted men of the various branches of the armed services arrived on the campus Tuesday evening. They will explain reserve branches to the students and enroll anyone interested who meets their qualifications.

Many St. Joe men are already in the Naval Reserve, Army Reserve, Marine Reserve, and the Army Air Corps Reserve.

## Marching Band Plays

With a flash of red uniforms and polished instruments, the College marching band, under the direction of Professor Paul Tonner, made their first public appearance Sunday between halves at the St. Joe-Loras football game.

Twirling the baton as the band went through intricate formation drill was Frank Murray, sophomore, from Chicago.

## Prayer For Alumni

"Oh Prince of Peace, in this hour of great sorrow and trial, we humbly petition Thee to protect all our service men everywhere, and give unto them unflinching courage to defend our Country with honor, dignity, and devotion to Thy holy will."

Each evening after Benediction, this prayer for our alumni in the armed service is being said. Students are urged to help the fellows who have gone before, and who are now serving our country, by devoutly offering up this little prayer.

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## The Academy Corner

By Ed McElroy

Paul Wehrle, graduate of the class of '42, was here last week to pay his old friends a visit. Paul joined the Navy September 7, and completed his "boot" training October 8, at Great Lakes Naval Training Station. Now a seaman, 2nd class, he is on a nine-day leave. Paul has been transferred from Great Lakes to New London, Conn., where he will enter submarine training.

While Paul was here at St. Joe he was co-editor of the Academy Corner in his senior year, secretary-treasurer of the senior class, president of the Newman Club, and vice-president of the Acolytes Club. He also starred in the play "What A Night" which was produced last year by the Academy's Newman Club.

Joe McElroy of the class of '37, is now training as an aviation cadet at Nashville, Tennessee. He has already completed seven weeks of training which is to consist of seven months. After his seven months he will be a 2nd lieutenant in the U. S. Army Air Force.

While Joe was here in the Academy he was president of his senior class, secretary of the Newman Club and starred in the stage production "The Bishop Misbehaves."

John Gavin, class of '42, is now serving in the U. S. Coast Guards at Alameda, California. While John, better known as "Lefty," was here he was a member of the baseball team for two years. In his senior year he was captain of the team. Lefty was also student manager of the basketball team.

Glancing about the Academy we

see . . . Clary Steffes anxiously waiting the sound of the bell to ring. Mike Cody still recuperating from the eventful 65-yard run which he made last week against Kentland . . . Tex Ritter very patiently awaiting the passing out of the morning mail . . . Ed Mullins (Windy City Boy) and Don Schloemer staging one of their friendly, interesting arguments . . . Eddie Joe and Bob Richert working very earnestly on their daily jobs . . . Joe Carlos giving some brotherly advice to his little brother John . . . Jim Richart checking up on the Seymour corn production . . . Brother Francis trying to figure out the difference of mail between Dick Schultheis and Augie Schultheis.

Last Friday evening a general assembly was called in the Academy study hall for the discussion of the Academy's second Yearbook. The plan agreed upon was this: All members of the high school are to gather individually as much money from their home towns as they can by charging a dollar for every signature that is in the Yearbook.

Publication of the Yearbook at the present time is not certain. To make it sure we will have to push and shove forward. Don't let the Yearbook drift away.

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